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SUMMARY OF THE DAY'S NEWS

The Weather.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Forecast for today and Sunday: Fair to high with light winds; Sunday fair. North Carolina—Showers Saturday and Sunday; fresh south winds.

The day began yesterday with a great downpour of rain, which lasted several hours. Unsettled weather prevailed throughout the day.

RANGE OF THE THERMOMETER.	
A. M.	66
P. M.	77
At 10 P. M.	77
At 11 P. M.	77
At midnight	72
Average	72.2

Highest temperature yesterday..... 78
Lowest temperature yesterday..... 66
Mean temperature yesterday..... 72
Normal temperature for August..... 72
Departure from normal temperature..... 0
Precipitation during past 24 hours..... .38

MINUTEMAN ALMANAC.
August 20, 1904.
In rise..... 5:30
In sets..... 6:54
Morning..... 12:37
Evening..... 12:27

Richmond.
People deeply interested in the rapid rise in price of wheat, and Messrs. Warner Moore & Company predict that it will go far higher than at present, owing to the great disparity between the supply and the demand. Question as to whether or not it is lawful to shoot bull dogs being warmly discussed; game war in certain sections are holding that it is not lawful and are acting accordingly. The Baltimore baseball team wins again. On the Barton Heights aggregation, with unexpectedness of a well known local Carolina man, who had recently come to Richmond to accept position as brother of the Seventeenth Street, have fight; three brothers put under arrest and police are looking for fourth. Republican leaders says District Convention to be held here will be void of political rights. Messrs. M. C. Hester, of the Home, MANCHESTER—Camden Club, No. 1, to meet at Tony's all night. Supper for benefit of Sacred Heart Church—Old boxer now living in Manchester—Bells were tolled for last time.

Virginia.
The sale of the effects of the Atlantic Hotel only bring enough to pay the rent. The will of John Mahoney, of Portsmouth, probated and shows large estate. The Harrisonburg crack team of firemen win in the hose reel race at Alexandria. The Cumberland troop hold annual reunion; dinner, speaking and watermelon feast; money raised for monument. Much typhoid fever in King William county. Richmond young man, a few days ago, was arrested for stealing the changing in Fredericksburg. Lynchburg to build a telephone line along its new water way. New York newspaper, the New York Herald, has been ordered to pay damages to the Lynchburg city.

North Carolina.
Governor Aycock inspects the North Carolina National Guard in Camp Fitzhugh Lee at Morehead City. Campaign appointments announced at Democratic headquarters in Raleigh. Two Durham militia killed by an overhead bridge while returning from camp at Morehead. Several others injured. A small home, recently made dean of Trinity high school. Farmer near Winston-Salem threatens his wife's life and then shoots himself.

General.
Japanese take more advanced positions at Port Arthur and are sanguine that it will soon fall; then the campaign in Manchuria is to be launched. The combined army that it is hoped, will crush out Kuroki's forces; the two armies near together and daily skirmishes are reported. Chinese troops are said to be in a position to leave at once or be destroyed. A tornado strikes North St. Louis and sweeps across the Mississippi, causing death and destruction in both Missouri and Illinois. Report of the Secretary of the Interior, submitted at a meeting of the directors in New York, found highly satisfactory. Negro captain of Connecticut company declares that at Manassas white men obey his orders. General Miles writes a letter to Judge Parker heartily commending his speech of acceptance—Root not to run for Governor. Insurgents in the Philippines, a steamer with Minister of War aboard, take him and his escort prisoners and demand surrender of capital. Lives of the negroes could have been saved; searching investigation to be made. Encouraging report on work of the conference in the South made to Lutheran Conference. Corporation Attorney Tolman of Chicago, decides that the pickers have no right to house men at the packing houses. Circumstances surrounding the return of Antonio Manno almost as mysterious as those of his disappearance. Three more arrests made—New York American defeat Chicago, breaking the deadlock and St. Louis defeats the Champions—Bureau of Investigation. Police of St. Louis, who confess to having stolen documents, leads to the belief that the documents have been stolen from the G. A. R. by a man who had no change in the condition of Senator Hoar. The Aspirant wins the Astor cup for sloop. Warren and Johnson were instantly killed, their brains being dashed out. Cates is seriously injured, and McDade slightly.

Deaths and Destruction Result in Illinois.
VENICE, ILL., August 19.—The tornado that swept across the river from North St. Louis to-day killed Mrs. Margaret Beal, injured ten others and caused considerable damage to property. The tornado was of short duration, but was remarkably destructive in force. The tornado was seen jumping across the river, but almost before a word of alarm could be given it swept into Illinois north of Venice, turned, and the next moment was plunging its way through the streets. Mrs. Beal was killed by the falling debris of her home, which was blown to pieces.

ANOTHER SHAMROCK WILL BE DESIGNED

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, August 19.—Sir Thomas Lipton is paying a visit to the Clyde for the purpose, it is believed, of arranging for the design and construction of a fourth Shamrock. In a published interview Sir Thomas said the change in the rules of measurement made in New York would give a British boat a better chance of lifting the cup, but his own preference was in favor of keeping away on the former lines.

20 WANT HELP TO-DAY.
The 20 advertisements for help published in to-day's Times-Dispatch on page 6 are as follows:
1 Teacher. 1 Salesman.
6 Miscellaneous. 6 Domestic.
6 Trade.
This not only interests those out of work, but those desiring to improve their positions as well.

TORNADO SWEEPS ST. LOUIS

One Man Killed, Fifty Injured and the Property Damage \$100,000.

FIRST A DARK CLOUD; THEN TERRIFIC WIND

The Arm-Like Messenger Sweeps Several Squares and Crosses the River—Large Plants Wrecked and Large Electric Poles Snapped.

(By Associated Press.)

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 19.—A tornado of small proportions, but of extreme fury, swept down upon the residential portion of North St. Louis to-day, resulting in the death of one person, John Ellington, injury to probably fifty and damage to property estimated at \$100,000. Herman Bauerwine, aged ten, was, it is believed, fatally injured. People in North St. Louis noticed a dark cloud approaching from the southwest. Suddenly an arm seemed to shoot to the ground from a gigantic cloud, twisting and turning. The end touched the ground at Nineteenth and Anglerod Streets, and with incredible swiftness and force, swept east along Anglerod for ten blocks, then turned north and swept three blocks along Broadway, when it jumped eight blocks northeast to the foot of Berman Street and the river, where considerable property along the river front was destroyed. The tornado then jumped to about the middle of the river and encountered a few boats, which were turned and tossed about, but not sunk.

Buildings Are Demolished.
Leaving the ferry the tornado once more jumped and struck the Illinois shore near Madison, where it demolished several dwellings, the Lederkrantz Hall and blew down a portion of the Madison Cooper Works, killing John Ellington. Severe damage was done also to buildings in Venice and Grant City, which adjoin Madison, and a number of persons were injured. Not a telegraph, telephone or trolley pole was left standing along the streets swept by the storm. A Broadway trolley car containing eleven passengers was suddenly whirled into the top and wrecked the car. The passengers had a remarkable escape from injury, and only the motorman received slight bruises. The roof and one-half of the top story of Sommers Brother's tailoring manufactory establishment were blown away.

Big Plant Demolished.
Probably the heaviest loss suffered by a single concern was at the Netherland-haus Rolling Mill. The plant covers two squares in extent. The big smokestack was blown down and half the plant was demolished, entailing estimated damage of \$25,000. Six employees were injured in this plant. Not the slightest damage was done at the World's Fair Grounds. The Exposition is situated over five miles from the axis of the tornado, and the wind was not felt there.

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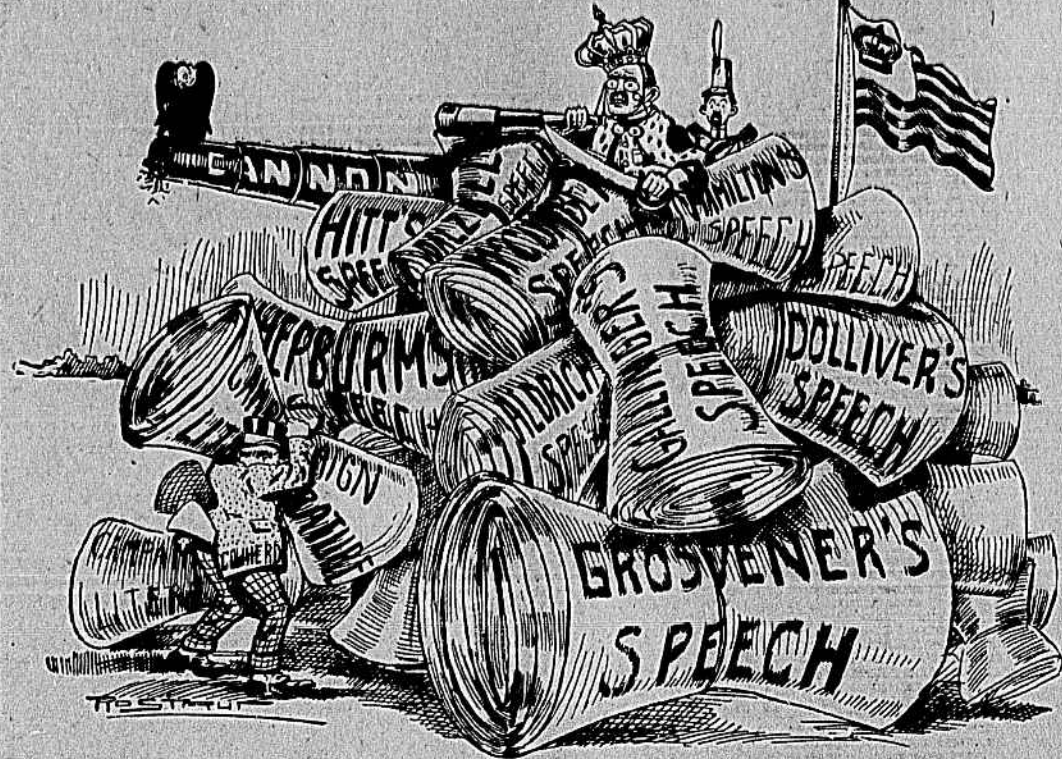
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SOLDIERS KILLED BY OVERHEAD BRIDGE

Two Dead and One Perhaps Fatally Hurt—Injured Held to Dead Comrades.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

RALEIGH, N. C., August 19.—Two soldiers, members of the military company, of Durham, were instantly killed this afternoon about 2 o'clock while returning from the National Guard encampment near Morehead City. Four soldiers, Burney Warren, Bunch Johnson, B. F. Cates and Will McDade, were sitting on top of the coach against orders. They had been drinking, and had just thrown away a bottle, when, within two miles of Goldsboro, on the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad, their heads struck the covered bridge at Blaney Creek. Warren and Johnson were instantly killed, their brains being dashed out. Cates is seriously injured, and McDade slightly. The discovery of the accident was made by the dripping of blood by the windows, the wind spraying it on the soldiers inside. The dead bodies and McDade were taken to Durham, while Cates is in the hospital at Goldsboro.



SHOT DOWN IN BATTLE

Regular Army Soldiers Wage War on Provost Guard at Ohio Manoeuvres.

1 KILLED; OTHERS WOUNDED

Trouble Grows Out of the Provost Arresting Regulars for Overstaying Time.

(By Associated Press.)

ATHENS, O., August 19.—Regular army soldiers, said to be members of a cavalry troop connected with the first brigade at Camp Armitage near this city, where State military manoeuvres are being held, attacked two regular cavalry troops, tonight, and killed one and wounded several. The provost guard, who were on duty at the time, were ordered to fire on the attacking soldiers, and one man was killed and three wounded, the latter all being national guardsmen. The regulars escaped without any casualties as far as is known.

The guardsman killed was Corporal Charles Clark, whose home is at Warren, where the company is located. He was twenty-one years old, and a machinist by occupation. The wounded are: Watson H. Ohi, struck on head by a rifle. Albert B. Head, private shot in left leg. Sergeant William Blessing, struck on left hip.

The regulars, who used pistols, scattered for camp, and none of them have been apprehended. Fifteen minutes after the shooting General Dick, in command of the National Guard, and the regular army officers, had declared the town was in such a state of anarchy that they were rushed into the city, and are now patrolling the streets to prevent further trouble.

As gathered from soldiers in camp, it seems that nearly all the provost guards, sent to town to gather in soldiers who have overstayed their leave, have been National Guardsmen, and the regulars became possessed of the idea that the provosts were discriminating against the regulars in favor of the Guardsmen, arresting the former and allowing the latter to go free, when the provosts were in such numbers that a choice arose of arresting either one or the other. Regulars assembled in Athens to-night in force, and the provost from the troop met a number of them in front of the sheriff's residence, near the courthouse. The regulars were hailed and showed fight. The provost guards clubbed their rifles, and they claim, the regulars commenced to shoot. They returned the fire and more

SEABOARD REPORT IS SATISFACTORY

Considered by Board and Nearly Ready for Publication—Stock Sale Not Considered.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—At a meeting of the Seaboard Air Line Railroad directors, the annual report was considered. The report is nearly ready for publication, and is considered satisfactory by the interests in control. These interests profess to feel no disquiet over the formation of a stockholders' protection association by Gustavus Ober, Hamilton & Co., H. A. Orjick and Townsend, Scott & Son. Under the agreement by which the protective committee was formed, August 15th, holders of the stock may deposit it with the Fidelity and Deposit Company, of Baltimore, and receive certificates. The controlling interests say there is no need for such a committee. The further financing of the road and the sale of the Williams-Middendorf holdings were not considered at the meeting.

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He Writes to Judge Parker Heartily Commending Acceptance Speech.

(By Associated Press.)

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MANY ARE KILLED BY LIGHTNING

Severe Storm in Mississippi, Leaving Death and Destruction.

A MUSICIAN'S TENT STRUCK; KILLS MAN

Three Other Persons at the Encampment Rendered Unconscious—Negroes Are Killed in the Field While Picking Cotton.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

MEMPHIS, MISS., August 19.—The fiercest electric storm ever known in Mississippi, swept the State to-day with loss of life and heavy damage to property. Street car traffic was paralyzed here for sixteen hours. A bolt struck the musician's tent at the State military encampment, where eighteen hundred soldiers are assembled. Professor William Schwalbeck, bandmaster, of Jackson, was killed, and Mrs. Schwalbeck, Miss Pleckett, Captain R. W. Farham and two others struck unconscious. In Wayne county, two negroes picking cotton were killed by lightning. In Philadelphia, Neshoba county, a panic ensued at a camp-meeting, one was killed and a score shocked.

DRUG CAUSED DEATH; THE CLERK IS INDICTED

(By Associated Press.)

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 19.—The coroner's jury which has been investigating the death of Mrs. Jennie Helms, of New York, who died in a hotel here after taking a dose of what she supposed was cream of tartar, returned a verdict to-day of manslaughter against Charles M. Farthing, the drug clerk, who sold the preparation to Mrs. Helms's husband. The jury recommended that F. L. Richt, the proprietor of the drug store, be held for allowing an unlicensed drug clerk to sell drugs.

KILLED BY COAL TRAIN IN YARDS AT ATLANTA

(By Associated Press.)

ATLANTA, GA., August 19.—Edwin Purinton, a native of New Haven, Conn., was instantly killed by a train of coal cars at the eastern end of the Union Railroad station here to-day. Two cars passed over his body. The train was being backed through the station, and the locomotive was at the other end. Mr. Purinton had been in Atlanta about ten years. It is reported he had a brother and sister in Connecticut. He was about sixty-five years old and unmarried.

GEORGIA MANUFACTURER KILLS HIMSELF IN OFFICE

(By Associated Press.)

ATLANTA, GA., August 19.—William J. Montgomery, vice-president and manager of the Georgia Cotton Mill Company, shot and killed himself at his office here this afternoon. He was sitting in his private office, and had just been conversing with his office force, who had left him. The hall, entering his mouth, ranged upward, penetrating the brain, causing instant death. No cause for the act has been given.

BITE OF A MOSQUITO RESULTS IN MAN'S DEATH

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—August Anderson, a farmer of Burke county, Ind., is dead in a Chicago hospital from the bite of a mosquito. Anderson suffered a slight injury, which caused an abrasion of the skin on his right hand. A mosquito bit him on the hand, and a few days later Anderson began to suffer intensely. He came to Chicago for treatment, but blood-poisoning resulted.

THIS NEGRO SAYS ALL SHALL SALUTE

Captain of the Negro Company Coming to the Manoeuvres Makes Brash Statement.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEW HAVEN, CONN., August 19.—Although his company of sixty-eight men is the only detachment of colored troops serving with the 30,000 regulars and guardsmen to participate in the manoeuvres at Manassas, Va., next month, and despite threats that his men will be boycotted by the Southern militiamen, Captain James W. Ross, negro, said to-day that he would insist upon proper respect for his soldiers. "If I am to take my turn as officer of the day," he added, "I shall see that my orders are obeyed by men of other commands as well as by my own." "I hope you'll come home alive," said his wife. Ross is a mulatto and well educated. His company is brigaded with Virginia and South Carolina troops.

BIG BATTLE TO FOLLOW PORT'S FALL

Japanese Plan to Crush Russian Army After Taking Port Arthur.

MUCH FIGHTING NOW NORTH OF LIAO-YANG

Russians Attempting to Prevent Japanese Crossing Stream, Repulsed With Heavy Losses.

PRESSING THE BATTLE ON THE BELEAGUED PORT

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TOKIO, August 19.—With the fall of Port Arthur, news of which is expected now at any time, the whole force of the Japanese army will be devoted to the annihilation of the Russian army in Manchuria and the consequent speedy ending of the war. Until the fall of Port Arthur, the plan seems to be to prevent the retreat of the Russian army from Liao Yang, and this seems to have been successful up to this time. The armies of Nodzu and Oku have been reduced to the smallest number consistent with safety, and the men taken from them have been sent to join Kuroki and to strengthen the column operating to the west of the Russian position. When Port Arthur falls, Nogi will be assigned to the task of looking after the Russian southern front, the troops of Nodzu and Oku moving on the Russian flank. When the times comes to crush Kuroki, it is confidently believed here that the task will be performed quickly and efficiently. The way to Harbin will then be practically clear, if it is necessary to go there.

CONSIDERABLE FIGHTING.

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SINNTUN, AUG. 19.—Fighting of considerable magnitude is reported to the northeast of Liao Yang to-day. A Japanese column, estimated to be 10,000 strong, was checked for a time at the Su-Tze River, but succeeded in forcing a crossing, driving the Russians back with heavy loss. News comes from Mukden that Kuroki has decided to fight at Liao Yang. A number of the troops which have been at Mukden, have gone south to reinforce the Russian main army, which is said to number something more than 100,000 men, well supplied with the best artillery. The Russian government has. It is expected that the Russians will soon be compelled to abandon their position at Anshan-Chan. The Japanese forces are well to the north of the place, both on the east and west, and skirmishing is reported to be in progress on the part of Kuroki to strike in between the Russian advanced position and their base at Liao Yang, where the New Chungking and Hui-Ching roads join. The Russians anticipate a serious battle. Heavy fighting about Liao Yang is to follow within a few days by a general engagement.

RUSSIANS ARE REPULSED WITH HEAVY LOSSES—PREPARING FOR GREAT BATTLE.

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Up to this time the railroad to the north of Liao Yang has not been cut, but Japanese scouting parties have approached within less than five miles of the line. It is estimated that there are between 10,000 and 15,000 Manchurians gathered between this place and Mukden. They are thoroughly armed, and are well drilled. Many Japanese officers are among them, and it is believed they are awaiting the word from Kuroki to take the field in earnest against the Russians. In the meantime, they are continuing to engage in raiding the Russian lines and cutting off scouting parties. The Chinese regulars are moving north on the Chinese side of the Liao River, and are determined that there shall be no violation of Chinese territory by the invaders. The Chinese garrison here has been considerably strengthened within the past few days, and new troops are constantly coming in.

ST. PETERSBURG ANXIOUS.

(By Associated Press.)

ST. PETERSBURG, August 20.—2:15 A. M.—Anxiety prevails regarding the situation at Port Arthur, on account of the desperate character of the fighting reported as taking place there, though the war office does not seem to believe that the danger of the fall of the fortress is so imminent as is generally asserted. According to advice received by the war office, there is still an ample supply.

NAB STEAMER WITH MINISTER OF WAR

He and His Escort Are Made Prisoners—Demonstrate Excellence of Artillery.

(By Associated Press.)

BUENOS AIRES, August 19.—The insurgents have seized another steamer, which had on board the minister of war and a small escort. The minister and his companions were made prisoners. At the conference on board one of the insurgent's steamers the bombardment of Asuncion last Wednesday, between the ministers of Argentina, Brazil, Italy and France, and the insurgent leaders, the latter said that after the ministers left the vessel they would fire two more shots, one at the residence of President Escorza and the other at the church concealing the battery. In order to demonstrate the excellence of their artillery. The shots were fired and both the President's house and the church were hit. No further bombardment has been reported. The insurgent commander, with two thousand land forces, is approaching Asuncion. The insurgents have sent an ultimatum, demanding the surrender of the capital within twenty-four hours, saying that should the demand be not granted, the bombardment of Asuncion would be resumed.

WENT TO ASK A BRIDE AND WERE MURDERED

(By Associated Press.)

ALGERS, August 19.—Eighty-three horsemen sent by the Moorish pretender, Buhamara, to ask his daughter in marriage, were treacherously murdered by the chief.